

House Resolution No. 353

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

Whereas, Douglas Joel Smith of Warrensburg, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on February 3, 2008, at Northside Christian Church in Warrensburg; and

Whereas, Douglas, a member of Boy Scout Troop 1673, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved building a concrete pad for the Warrensburg Animal Shelter; and

Whereas, during his seven years in Scouting, Douglas mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn thirty-three merit badges and membership in the Order of the Arrow; and

Whereas, Douglas demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Senior Patrol Leader, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Patrol Leader, and Quartermaster; and

Whereas, the son of Gregory H. Smith and Caryee D. Smith, Douglas developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include attending Ben Delatour Scout Ranch in Colorado, Camp Mac Morris in Tennessee, and Camp Naish in Kansas; and

Whereas, attainment of the Eagle rank by Douglas will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Douglas Smith for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Douglas Joel Smith.

Offered by _____
Representative David Pearce
District No. 121

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 353, adopted January 31, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker